Yeshiva University Scholarship Program for Grandchildren of Long-term Members of the Faculty and Staff

The Board of Trustees Executive Committee approved the establishment of a Scholarship Program, effective with the fall of 2001 semester, for the grandchildren of long-term members of the faculty and administration. This scholarship program was established to recognize the achievements of long-term members of the staff and to make it possible for their grandchildren to attend, without financial hardship, the institution that they helped to build over the last quarter of a century. The program will also encourage qualified students to enroll in the University, while it provides an incentive for members of the faculty and administration to become long-term staff members, so that their grandchildren can qualify for the program.

Basic Terms of the Program:

• To be eligible, the student must be a grandchild of an active or retired member of the faculty or administration, who has served Yeshiva University on a full-time basis for no less than 25 consecutive years.

• The student must meet all admission requirements to one of the University’s Undergraduate schools or the affiliated Yeshiva High Schools, enroll as a full-time student and maintain satisfactory academic standing while in attendance. Scholarship aid is available only for the Fall and Spring Semester study at Yeshiva University in New York City.

• Students must apply in writing each year for this Grandparent scholarship. The parent must demonstrate that after all other financial aid has been applied for and credited that there is still a financial hardship. Upon request, financial documentation to support the financial need test (i.e., FSAFA or High School equivalent) must be submitted or the award will be withdrawn.

The deadline for receipt of applications for the fall is June 30th. Applications for the spring semester must be received by November 30th. Applications submitted after the deadline will be processed only if funds are available.

The scholarship does not cover graduate or professional school tuition charges, nor dormitory charges, meals, or fees.

• This is a University Scholarship, not an employee benefit. Final decisions about eligibility and scholarship amounts will be made by the Student Finance office.

• Approved applications will be granted a scholarship award equal to 21% of the applicable tuition charge. To ensure the new scholarship program does not become a financial burden to the University, the maximum amount to be granted in any year, without regard to the number of applicants is $250,000.00. In the event this amount is not adequate in any given year to provide the full 21% scholarship award, qualified students will, that year, receive a pro rata award.

Please click on www.yu.edu/hr/benefits/plans to access the application under Tuition Remission and Scholarship. Please submit completed application via email to Benefits@yu.edu. Once approved the application will be submitted to Student Aid for processing.

If there are any questions prior to filing out the application, please call the Benefits Office at 646-592-4338.

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